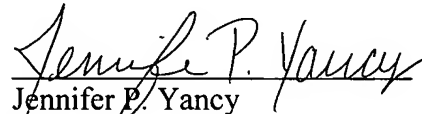


REMARKS

Applicant has cancelled claims 21-39, the rejected claims. Applicant reserves the right to file continuation applications directed to the cancelled claims. The Examiner has indicated that the remaining claims are allowed.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the application is now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration and allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

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